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In re Application of:)

Frank Dean)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2005.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper;
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 21 of this paper; and
- **Summary** begins on page 28 of this paper.

A three month extension is believed due for this response and the Commissioner is requested to grant such extension. A check is enclosed for the fee for this extension. If the check is insufficient or not found attached, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee to undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0807. No fee is believed due for the amendment herein. However, if the Commissioner determines that a fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge same to undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0807.

Please amend claims 2-3, 12-14, 16-18, 20-22, 24-26, 28-30, 32 and 34 to read as indicated below: